

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Inventor: James Economy

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Title: HIGH DENSITY BORON NITRIDE
MATRIX COMPOSITES

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

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Commissioner for Patents

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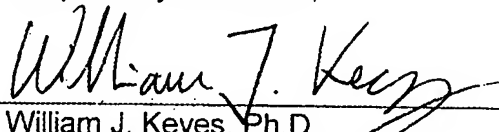
Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated February 7, 2007 for a period of one month(s).

Please charge the \$60.00 fee to our American Express card.

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Respectfully submitted,



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